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In re Application of:  
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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ORGANIZING DATA BY OVERLAYING A  
SEARCHABLE DATABASE WITH A DIRECTORY TREE STRUCTURE

Group Art Unit:  
Examiner Name:

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

This is a Request for a Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.08**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to : Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, Mail Stop RCE, February 28, 2005.

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Signature

**1. Submission required under C.F.R. § 1.114**

a. \_\_\_\_\_ Previously submitted

- i. \_\_\_\_\_ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii. \_\_\_\_\_ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. X Enclosed

- i. X Amendment/Reply
- ii. \_\_\_\_\_ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. \_\_\_\_\_ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. X Other Request for One Month Extension of Time

**2. Miscellaneous**

a. \_\_\_\_\_ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.  
(Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)

b. \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. c. X Applicant is entitled to small entity status

4. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a. X The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No.: 08-1275.

- i. X RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. X Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. X Check in the amount of \$ 455.00 (\$395.00 to cover the Request for Continued Examination Filing fee plus \$60.00 for a two month extension of time fee) enclosed

c. \_\_\_\_\_ Payment by credit card (form PTO-2038 enclosed)

5. X Return Receipt Postcard

Dated: February 28, 2005

By: Jonathan O. Owens  
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